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Cancle do teo. Director of Data Processing Director of Finance Director of Logistics Director of Medical Services 25X1A Director of Personnel Director of Security Director of Training FROM Career Management Officer, DDA SUBJECT The Program of the Center for the Study of Intelligence (AIUO) REFERENCE Memo to A/DDA, DD/I, DD/O, and DD/S&T, frm A/DDCI dtd 25 Jul 77, same subj (AIUO) Attached is a copy of the referenced memorandum requesting submission of nominations for personnel and projects for the Program of the Center for the Study of Intelligence. Please submit nominations for officers and/ or projects to the undersigned by COB, 17 August 1977. (AIUO) When nominating an officer, include a copy of his updated biographic profile and the two most recent fitness reports. There are no age or grade limitations, however, it is expected that persons with well-rounded backgrounds will be nominated. When submitting a project nomination, give as much detail as possible. (AIUO) If you have any questions relative to the above, please contact the undersigned on extension 4142. Negative responses may be by telephone. 25X1A Attachment

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting 1

Acting Deputy Director for Administration

Deputy Director for Intelligence Deputy Director for Operations

Deputy Director for Science and Technology

FROM:

John F. Blake

Acting Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT:

The Program of the Center for the Study

of Intelligence

- 1. The Center for the Study of Intelligence, established three years ago, sponsors a dual program of intelligence studies and discussions designed to illuminate the processes and functions of intelligence. Its objective is to contribute to the professional understanding and to the record of the art of intelligence. To this end, it distributes the results of its research projects and seminar discussions throughout the Agency, and occasionally to some other components of the U.S. Government.
- 2. The Center's contribution has been worthwhile in my judgment, and its continued programs deserve your strong support. Research projects at the Center are undertaken by "Intelligence Fellows"—volunteer officers on full-time detail to the Center for periods ranging from a few weeks to one year, depending upon the nature of the projects under study. For the Center to continue its high caliber of work, it needs a continuing flow of our most capable officers working on genuinely vexing intelligence problems that require considerable delicacy of handling. Officers of sound judgment should be able to treat sensitive issues with a maturity that commands respect, whether or not we all agree with the conclusions of their research and study.
- 3. I am taking this opportunity to request your personal cooperation in suggesting bold and imaginative studies of salient problems which the Center might undertake and in identifying good potential "Intelligence Fellows" to carry out such studies. The Center can be reached on extension 2193.

John F. Blake